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Applicants: Ziegler et al.  
Serial No: 10/071,994  
For: SUPPORTING DEVICE FOR A PORTABLE DEVICE  
Filed: 8 FEB 2002  
Examiner: Steven M. Marsh  
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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

Applicants are submitting the present document in response to an Office Action dated 27 FEB 2003 (hereinafter "the Office Action"). Please amend the above-noted application as follows: